

Excessive Heat Contingency Plan – Phase II Activities Roll-Up 06-19-17

Cal OES

Inland Region:

- 25 cooling centers open across 7 counties, mainly in Kern County.
- No EOC activations or unmet needs.
- Inland will begin OA coordination calls tomorrow.

Coastal Region:

- Region doing fairly well in comparison to other regions.
- No EOC activations or unmet needs.

Southern Region:

- Conducted conference call with OAs today.
- No EOC activations or unmet needs.

Public Information Office

- Issued press release on Friday with CDPH urging people to take precautions with several days of excess heat ahead, watch out for sensitive populations and animals.
- Monitoring social media for partner agency significant actions and precautionary measures.
- Issuing regular social media messages via Youtube, Facebook, Instagram and Twitter.
- Producing briefing video for social media later this week.

California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA)

- CDFA notified Fair Ground CEOs on Friday, 06/19/17, alerting them that they may be contacted by their County OES/First Responder to activate as cooling centers.
- Cal OES will need to work with County OES/First Responders to have the Fair Grounds activated as Cooling Centers.
- Agricultural Commissioners have been informed to contact CDFA if there is any significant agricultural impact in their counties. CDFA will notify Cal OES if they get any information from the Ag Commissioners.
- Dr. Annette Jones, State Veterinarian is the contact person for animal removal issues. There is a disposal plan in place.

California Department of Aging (CDA)

- Continuing to monitor the situation and no significant activity to report.
- On 06/16/17, CDA reached out to local Ombudsman programs to let CDA know if they receive any complaints from residents at their facilities
- CDA sent an email to all their contractors about the extreme weather, which is part of their normal day to day operations.

California Department of General Services (DGS)

- DGS compiled a list of state facilities that could be used for cooling centers and provided the list to Cal OES Response Operations on 06/19/17.
- The list contains fairgrounds that CDFA already reached out to. In addition, if the universities or schools identified in the list are to be activated as cooling centers, DGS will need to work in coordination with Cal OES to initiate reaching out to the respective schools.

California Employment of Development Department (EDD)

- EDD is currently monitoring the situation.

California Department of Education (CDE)

- Continuing to monitor the situation and no significant activity to report.
- CDE Communications created a post on their Facebook page (next bullet) on 06/16/17, which includes a link to Cal OES's webpage for Summer Heat Resources.
 - <https://www.facebook.com/CAEducation/>
 - "We ask all those in the Sacramento/San Joaquin Valley and Yuba/Sutter/Butte counties to take extra precautions due to the extreme heat wave expected over the next few days. Stay hydrated and stay indoors when possible. Please don't leave children, the frail & elderly, or pets in a parked car. More resources may be found below:"

California Department of Public Health (CDPH)

- CDPH currently has no impacts any CDPH Licensing and Certification (L&C) licensed healthcare facilities related to the heat event.
- CDPH and Cal OES released on Friday a joint News Release regarding the upcoming heat event with precautions and recommendations for staying cool. This information was also sent via California Health Alert Network (CAHAN)

- CDPH released heat related messages through the weekend and will continue into this week advising the public to check on friends, neighbors and pets and to be aware of the signs of heat exhaustion and heat stroke.
- CDPH L&C released on Friday an All Facilities Letter (AFL) to L&C licensed Healthcare facilities with precautions and recommendations for preparing for the heat event and reporting impacts. This was also sent via CAHAN.

California Department of Social Services (CDSS)

- CDSS is currently monitoring the situation. Nothing significant to report.

Emergency Medical Services Authority (EMSA)

- EMSA Duty Officer in conjunction with CDPH Duty Officers will monitor heat event for public health and medical impacts and keep close communication with CDPH and EMSA Executive Duty Officer and the Regional Disaster Medical and Health Coordinators/Specialists (RDMHC/S).
- EMSA staffing patterns have been identified in case of activation.

California Department of Developmental Services (DDS)

- No significant activities to report.
- DDS advised on 06/16/17 that they have pushed out heat advisory messages to all DDS sites stressing outreach efforts to individuals identified most at risk and provided direction and information on cooling centers.
- Continued outreach and information sharing is ongoing.

California Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) Division of Mental Health

- DHCS continues to monitor the situation.
- DHCS sent an internal memo on 06/15/17 regarding the heat and safety precautions for employees to take.
- DHCS Division of Mental Health sent out letters on 06/16/17 to their local county partners.

California National Guard (CNG)

- Cal OES Response Operations contacted the CNG Joint Operations Center (JOC) and advised that currently there are no requests for state cooling centers. CNG JOC advised they are monitoring and stand ready to support.

Department of State Hospitals (DSH)

- No EOC activations at state hospitals and currently no requests.

- Following heat plan for employee safety.

CALTRANS

- Keeping rest areas open with water.
- Available to assist Cal OES with highway assistance.

California Conservation Corps (CCC)

- Crews available to assist with handing out water if needed.